

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1. (currently amended) Disk-shaped object of synthetic thermoplastic material, ~~such as thermoplastic adhesive,~~ for use as an intermediate between parts, has contact surfaces on opposite sides of the object that are rough, wherein their averaged roughness depth  $R_z$  lies in a range from 40 to 100  $\mu$ .
2. (original) Object according to claim 1, wherein the averaged roughness depth  $R_z$  of the contact surfaces lies in the range from 55 to 70  $\mu$ .
3. (original) Object according to claim 1, wherein the arithmetic mean rugosity  $R_a$  lies in a range from 6 to 25  $\mu$ .
4. (original) Object according to claim 2, wherein the arithmetic mean rugosity  $R_a$  lies in a range from 10 to 15  $\mu$ .

5. (withdrawn) Method of producing a disk-shaped object according to any one of the preceding claims, wherein the synthetic material is injected under pressure in a plasticized state into a cooled molding tool and removed therefrom after a cooling phase, and wherein molding surfaces of the molding tool form the contact surfaces of the object and are textured with a roughness depth equivalent to that of the contact surfaces.

6. (withdrawn) Method according to claim 5, wherein opening of the molding tool takes place prior to the complete cooling of a disk-shaped object contained therein.